

FOOD PURCHASE REPORT

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Marketing
Service

DATE: February 13, 2008

PURCHASE AND OFFER TO BUY: CHICKEN AND CHICKEN PRODUCTS

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) today purchased 7,033,000 pounds of chicken and chicken products at an approximate cost of \$4,891,000 for school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Details of today's purchase follow:

Product	Pounds	Awarded Prices Inv. No. 17	No. of Bids Accepted
cut-up	160,000	\$0.7200-\$0.7300	1 of 2
chilled bulk pack (small)	828,000	\$0.6300-\$0.6400	2 of 3
chilled bulk pack (large)	5,472,000	\$0.6200-\$0.6450	2 of 5
chilled bulk parts (legs)	144,000	\$0.6650	1 of 1
batter/breaded	429,000	\$1.6172-\$1.6848	2 of 2

Next offers under Announcement PY-322 are due by 12 noon, Central Time, on the following date:

Inv. Number	Product Type	Offer Date	Acceptance Not Later Than Date	Delivery Periods
18	cut-up, breaded, bulk pack (small, large, and legs)	Feb. 25	Feb. 29	April 1-15

Total purchases of chicken and chicken products since the program was announced on May 16, 2007, follow:

Product	Cumulative Pounds	Cumulative Dollars
cut-up	8,520,000	\$ 5,869,000
bulk pack, small	13,428,000	\$ 8,615,000
bulk pack, large	114,660,000	\$77,690,000
bulk parts, legs	1,620,000	\$ 1,130,000
bulk parts, thighs	540,000	\$ 276,000
batter/breaded	12,051,000	\$18,690,000

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Inquiries may be made by telephoning (202) 720-7693 or addressing the Contracting Officer; USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260; 1400 Independence Ave., SW; Washington, D.C. 20250. An electronic version of this Food Purchase Report can be obtained through the world-wide-web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

The awards for chicken and chicken products made today under Announcement PY-322, Invitation 17, to be delivered from Mar. 16 to Mar. 31, follow:

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY322
COMM GROUP : CHICKEN, FROZEN
INVITATION : 017

COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, CUT-UP, FROZEN
PACK SIZE : 40 LB CONTAINER

CONTRACTOR NAME: TYSON FOODS, INC.
PLANT ADDRESS : DARDANELLE AR

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
002	MOBILE AL	40,000	\$ 0.7200
004	SAN ANTONIO TX	40,000	\$ 0.7300

PLANT ADDRESS : BROKEN BOW OK

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
003	HOUSTON TX	80,000	\$ 0.7300

TOTAL AWARDED: 160,000

COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK SM
PACK SIZE : 2 1/2 - 3 3/4 LB BULK PACK

CONTRACTOR NAME: PILGRIM'S PRIDE CORP.
PLANT ADDRESS : SUMTER SC

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
006	SUMTER SC	540,000	\$ 0.6400

TOTAL AWARDED: 540,000

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INVITATION : 017

COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK SM
PACK SIZE : 2 1/2 - 3 3/4 LB BULK PACK

CONTRACTOR NAME: TYSON FOODS, INC.
PLANT ADDRESS : PINE BLUFF AR

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
005	PINE BLUFF AR	288,000	\$ 0.6300*

TOTAL AWARDED: 288,000

COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK LG
PACK SIZE : OVER 3.75 LB BULK PACK

CONTRACTOR NAME: PILGRIM'S PRIDE CORP.
PLANT ADDRESS : BOAZ AL

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
007	BOAZ AL	288,000	\$ 0.6290
011	BOAZ AL	1,440,000	\$ 0.6290*

TOTAL AWARDED: 1,728,000

CONTRACTOR NAME: TYSON FOODS, INC.
PLANT ADDRESS : CENTER TX

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
012	FORT SMITH AR	72,000	\$ 0.6450

PLANT ADDRESS : TEMPERANCEVILLE VA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
012	FORT SMITH AR	144,000	\$ 0.6450

***NO TOLERANCE ALLOWED** - Less than 36,000 pounds will be rejected.

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INVITATION : 017

COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK LG
PACK SIZE : OVER 3.75 LB BULK PACK

CONTRACTOR NAME: TYSON FOODS, INC.
PLANT ADDRESS : NEW HOLLAND PA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
008	NEW HOLLAND PA	3,240,000	\$ 0.6275*

PLANT ADDRESS : SHELBYVILLE TN

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
012	FORT SMITH AR	144,000	\$ 0.6450

PLANT ADDRESS : NOEL MO

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
010	ROGERS AR	144,000	\$ 0.6200

TOTAL AWARDED: 3,744,000

COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, CHILLED, LEGS
PACK SIZE : BULK PACK

CONTRACTOR NAME: OUT OF THE SHELL, LLC.
PLANT ADDRESS : SOUTH EL MONTE CA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
013	POMONA CA	144,000	\$ 0.6650*

TOTAL AWARDED: 144,000

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ANNOUNCEMENT : PY322
COMM GROUP : CHICKEN, FROZEN
INVITATION : 017

COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, 7 PC, BRD COOKED
PACK SIZE : 30 LB CTN

CONTRACTOR NAME: BARRIOS DISTRIBUTING
PLANT ADDRESS : MOOREFIELD WV

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
016	MADISON HEIGHTS VA	39,000	\$ 1.6322**SET-ASIDE**

TOTAL AWARDED: 39,000

CONTRACTOR NAME: PILGRIM'S PRIDE CORP.
PLANT ADDRESS : MOOREFIELD WV

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
014	CONCORD NH	39,000	\$ 1.6196
015	HALFMOON NY	19,500	\$ 1.6172
	YORKVILLE NY	19,500	\$ 1.6172
018	GRAND PRAIRIE TX	23,400	\$ 1.6442
	HOUSTON TX	15,600	\$ 1.6442
019	SAN ANTONIO TX	39,000	\$ 1.6450
020	SAN ANTONIO TX	39,000	\$ 1.6450
021	COMMERCE CA	29,250	\$ 1.6848
	LOS ANGELES CA	87,750	\$ 1.6848
022	CORDELIA CA	19,500	\$ 1.6848
	SACRAMENTO CA	19,500	\$ 1.6848
023	LOS ANGELES CA	39,000	\$ 1.6789

TOTAL AWARDED: 390,000